

GROVER CLEVELAND.

A Great Mass Meeting Greets Him in New York.

ENTHUSIASM AT WHITE HEAT.

Introduced as a Gentleman Known, Honored, Revere and Beloved the World Over.—Political Pointers.

New York, Oct. 27.—The German-American Cleveland union held a great mass meeting tonight in Cooper Union, the large hall being packed with people and nearly as many more being unable to gain admittance. The enthusiasm was at white heat throughout the proceedings, spontaneous applause greeting Cleveland, Carl Schurz, Oswald Ottendorfer and others. William Steadway was introduced as chairman and spoke at some length in denunciation of the McKinley law. He then introduced Cleveland as "a gentleman known, honored, revered and beloved, not only in America, but the whole world over." Again the audience broke loose and shouted itself hoarse in greeting to the ex-president.

After dwelling on the duties of foreign born citizens, Cleveland said: "I am sure to follow in our citizenship this fellowship is only realized when we enjoy in an equal and just manner the advantages of our citizenship. At the present time we find a political party soliciting the suffrages of our people in support of a doctrine that this fellowship in our citizenship is secured when the property of our special interests is favored on the making and execution of the laws, and made a direct charge on the industry of those not within the circle of governmental partiality. As a result of the enactment of such a doctrine we find enormous fortunes in the hands of a few individuals, while those who in the unequal race patiently rely upon their industry and sturdy individual effort are far in the rear."

"I interpret the organization and activity of the German-American union as protesting against the violation of the rights of its members in this fellowship, and I conceive this demonstration to be a revolt against the monopoly of calling those our fellow citizens who are deprived of equal participation in the advantages promised under free American institutions. The remedy for these unfair inequalities in the distribution of the benefits of our American citizenship is in the hands of the voters of the land; and if there has been a departure from the light which should guide the operations of our government, it is in the hands of the people to demand a return to safe channels."

"Let me warn you in closing that the struggle to secure the ratification of fair methods and the destruction of selfish advantages is not easy. Attempts to enjoy our voters, successful in the past, are still continued, and bribery and corruption are still in vogue. This country is in a perilous position, constant endeavor and unremitting vigilance that we shall recover a just and equal share of the benefits which belong to us. American citizenship is a privilege, and Cleveland was repeatedly and loudly applauded at frequent intervals during his remarks."

Carl Schurz followed Cleveland. He was greeted with applause, and spoke in German on the issues of the campaign. He said in part: "That never before in the history of American politics has so immense a corruption fund appeared as the Republican party was now using and never has its purpose been so markedly revealed. It is ridiculous for the Republicans to raise the cry that Democracy is a party of the masses, when they are a party of the few. The Democratic campaign management was highly reformed when it raised money enough to pay off rent, hire clerks, hire and hire necessary expenses."

Other speeches made by local orators concluded the great demonstration. Meanwhile speakers on two stands in front of the building addressed several thousand German citizens who were unable to gain entrance to the hall.

DEMOCRATS OF MONTPELIER.

They Hold a Boisterous Meeting and Make Many Converts.

MONTPELIER, Ida., Oct. 27.—[Special telegram to THE HERALD.]—The Democratic rally at Brennan's opera house to night was a great success. Addresses made by Messrs. E. B. True and A. A. Frazer were well received and judging from the applause elicited the cause of Democracy is still gaining ground and that Democratic success—state, county and national—is assured. The efforts of Mr. Frazer in logic and oratory have never been equaled in this valley, while the address of Mr. True was a logical truth which cannot fail to produce good results for our party. It is also learned that the meeting at Oriskany was well attended, and that the addresses of Reeves and Rich converted almost the entire community. The only Republican left in the community when last seen was in search of a Weaver man from whom he desired to secure consolation.

SOUTH DAKOTA PROHIBITIONISTS.

Names of Their Candidates Will Not Be Placed on Official Ballots.

PERRIS, S. D., Oct. 27.—Before the supreme court today the case was argued wherein the Prohibition party leaders asked for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to place the names of their candidates on official ballots, the secretary having refused because certificates of nomination were irregularly filed. An opinion was rendered this evening sustaining the secretary. Present indications are that in about thirty out of fifty counties in South Dakota the Democrats and People's party will fuse.

LEGISLATIVE CONTESTS.

Many of Them Will Occur in Idaho After Election.

BOISE, Ida., Oct. 27.—[Special telegram to THE HERALD.]—It is understood that there will be a contest as to whether the Ada-Elmore or the Elmore-Owyhee joint representative will be entitled to a seat in the next legislature. The controversy will be the outcome of a divergence of opinion between Governor Wiley and the leaders of the parties regarding the legislative apportionment acts. Other important contests are anticipated.

New York Business Men in Line.

New York, Oct. 27.—At the foot of Washington statue at the entrance of the sub-treasury building in Wall street a number of New York business men enunciated the principles of the Democratic party this afternoon, a throng that blocked the streets for half a block around. It was a meeting of the Cleveland and Stereocast Business Men's club, and from the vociferous cheering and enthusiastic waving of hats and handkerchiefs, it embodied a vast amount of real enthusiasm. The crowd was largely made up of men who traffic in grain, produce and stocks in Wall street, and their employees.

Congressman Harter, ex-Congressman Russell, ex-Governor Waller and others spoke.

Work of the Protective Tariff League.

New York, Oct. 27.—The American Protective Tariff League recently sent letters to persons in control of the industries which it is claimed have been established or increased by the McKinley tariff asking information of the number of persons employed, character of products, etc., etc. The American Economist will tomorrow print many replies. Taken together they show that 37,383 persons found employment in those industries, while the increased capital employed by the same industries is said to amount to \$40,000,000. The reports, it is said, are incomplete, and the American Economist claims that about 75,000 persons are now employed in industries actually established or increased by the new tariff.

A Republican Fizzle at Nampa.

NAMPA, Ida., Oct. 27.—[Special telegram to THE HERALD.]—Hon. S. W. Claggett and J. M. Shoup spoke here tonight to a small audience. Very little enthusiasm was manifested. The only applause accorded Mr. Shoup was when he stopped speaking. Mr. Claggett spoke at great length on the financial condition of the government. He then made mention of the withdrawal of the names of the Democratic electors, and said he sympathized with those who wished to vote for Cleveland. This seems to worry the Republicans, as every speaker who has spoken here during the present campaign extends to the Democrats their sympathy.

Hill in Virginia.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Oct. 27.—Senator David R. Hill of New York talked Democracy and reform to an admiring multitude in this city this afternoon. He was at the industrial society fair in the afternoon and talked to an immense gathering of workmen and farmers. This evening was the center of attraction at the Democratic rally.

In his speech tonight Senator Hill, after dealing at length with the tariff and other questions, made a plea for the return of the McKinley law. This course is being taken in opposition to a high tariff, a centralization of power in the general government, and the maintenance of the great questions of currency. He had no word of censure for those who went honestly and bravely into that party, but the currency question cannot be solved satisfactorily until the Democratic party shall be restored to power. Votes for the third party, said he, are thrown away.

Protesting the Polls in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 27.—People in this city were started tonight by reading the following advertisement in an evening paper: "Attention! Executive Committee of Safety will meet Saturday night at 5 o'clock, punctual and prompt attendance is requested. This is the same committee of safety which submitted the San Francisco Riot in '77 and it is thought the meeting is called to take action in regard to election frauds, which it is thought may be accomplished on election day. Members of the committee are sworn to secrecy and nothing definite can be learned."

Colorado Democrats Withdrawn.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 27.—John G. Taylor, candidate on the straight Democratic ticket for Congress from the Second district, today filed his resignation with the secretary of state. Candidates for the legislature took similar action. This is in accordance with the plan agreed upon to withdraw the Cleveland electors in favor of the Democrats. This course is being taken by many leading Democrats of the state.

Fusion in Nebraska.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 27.—Van Wyke, candidate for governor, Chairman Blake and Secretary Pirth of the People's party state committee, had a conference with the Democratic state committee today, which lasted until midnight. Several propositions looking to fusion were discussed and rejected. The Democrats decided not to pull off Cleveland electors, but left it to local committees to instruct Democrats to vote for Weaver electors.

Wisconsin's Apportionment Bill.

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 27.—The apportionment bill as adopted by the Democratic caucus passed both houses of the legislature last night. It gives the Democrats a majority of 13 or 14 in joint ballot. This morning the governor signed the bill, and the special session of the legislature adjourned.

Stevenson Addresses the Dry Goods Club.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—General Adlai Stevenson made a brief address to the Dry Goods Democratic club this afternoon and afterwards took part in general hand-shaking which was devoted to the force bill. He said he was much encouraged at the outlook as he observed it in the south.

An Attempt at Fribery.

ROCHESTER, Oct. 27.—The Democrat and Chronicle asserts that an attempt has been made to bribe a printer in the office where official ballots are printed. The printer, however, refused to be bribed and the attempt failed.

McKinley's Tour.

PENNA., Oct. 27.—Governor McKinley addressed a great crowd of people here today. It is estimated that 3,000 citizens in the surrounding district. A big meeting was held again tonight.

Rhode Island Municipal Election.

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 27.—In the municipal election here today, Horton, Republican, was elected mayor over Hoover, Democrat and present incumbent, by a majority of 40 in a total vote of 3,700.

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STAMFORD, Conn., Oct. 27.—Adlai E. Stevenson arrived from New York this morning and addressed a great crowd at the town hall.

THE OCEAN REGION.

Marital Law Will Be Continued Three Weeks Longer.

BOISE, Ida., Oct. 27.—[Special telegram to THE HERALD.]—Marital law will be continued in Shoshone county only three weeks longer. Governor Wiley said today that if at the end of that period a condition of peace and quietness prevailed he would revoke his proclamation of July 14. The governor says that his advice show that Court d'Ale's region was never so quiet as now and he anticipates no further outbreak. General Curtis, commander of militia will return to Wallace from Boise in a few days.

THE SOUTH-PACIFIC.

Indications That It Will Build to Virginia Point, Texas.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 27.—There are indications that the Southern Pacific railroad is seriously contemplating coming to Virginia Point, just across from Galveston. C. P. Huntington has held an option on several hundred acres of water front for several years, and that option expires in August, 1903. The land thus covered is of sufficient area to afford trackage of 100 miles, besides shops, round houses, etc. Huntington would hold off coming to Virginia Point until there were twenty-two feet of water on the bar at Galveston. Now those on the inside in this matter state positively that eighteen feet will bring the road here. It is the intention of Huntington to establish an active system of docks at Virginia Point, make a deep harbor there, and establish a trans-Atlantic line of fast steamers from this point.

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